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Application No. : 09/989,151

Mail Stop Amendment
 Group Art Unit: 2163

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For : **INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM AND METHOD**

Mail Stop Amendment

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Transmitted herewith is a **Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review** in the above-captioned application.

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☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Extension of Time.

☐ No additional fee is required.

☒ A Notice of Appeal.

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